

# Committee and Date

West Mercia Energy Joint Committee

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#### **WME HEALTH & SAFETY POLICY**

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# 1. Summary

1.1 The current WME Health & Safety Policy was last updated and approved in September 2015. As a result a review of the Policy has been conducted with the updated Policy attached for approval by the Joint Committee.

### 2. Recommendations

2.1 The Joint Committee are asked to approve the WME Health & Safety Policy.

#### REPORT

# 3. Risk Assessment and Opportunities Appraisal

- 3.1 The recommendations contained in this report are compatible with the provisions of the Human Rights Act 1998.
- 3.2 There are no direct environmental, equalities or climate change consequences arising from this report.

#### 4. Financial Implications

4.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

# 5. Background

5.1 In September 2015 the Joint Committee approved the updated WME Health & Safety Policy, the changes of which were mainly due to the relocation of WME to its new offices at Abbey Lawn. Abbey Foregate in Shrewsbury.

- 5.2 Shropshire Council provides WME advice on health and safety as part of the Service Level Agreement.
- 5.3 The changes are minor and are tracked on the attached document.

# List of Background Papers (This MUST be completed for all reports, but does not include items containing exempt or confidential information)

Joint Committee 28th September 2015 – WME Health & Safety Policy

#### Member

Councillor A Hardman of Worcestershire County Council (Chair of the Joint Committee)

# **Appendices**

Appendix 1 - WME Health & Safety Policy